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GENERAL HAVENS

G. A. R. DEPT.

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Elected Officers of the

Norwalk Today.

MRS. HICKEY

BURGLARS GET

METHODIST

(Special from United Press.)
Moosup, Conn., May 12.—The department store of C. D. West was burglarized here early today and thieves escaped with about \$2,000 worth of loot, consisting of silk ribbons and jew-airy.

(Special from United Press.)
Jackson, Miss., May 12—Charles I
Galloway, Bishop of the M. E. churcof Louisiana, and one of the most dis

inguished church men in the United states, died at 5 a. m. to-day.

IS RAGING AT

years.
MALLHORN.—At New Canaan, May
6, Charlottle, wife of James A. Small-horn.

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WEGSLIN.—At Stamford, May 7,
Henry E. Wegelin, aged 70 years.

WARNER.—In New Millford, May 8,
Henry O. Warner, aged 75 years.

HAMILTON.—In Orange, N. J., May
7, William J. Hamilton of South Nor-

WAIK.

RYAN.—In Torrington, May 9, John Ryan, aged 75 years.

GRAHAM.—In Torrington, May 10, Thomas H. Graham, aged 50 years.

KENNEDY.—In Torrington, May 4, Patrick Kannedy, aged 29 years.

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\$2,000 IN LOOT

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# ALL CLOTH SUITS Sharply Price Lessened

In order to secure more room for our Summer Apparel-we've lowered prices upon all cloth suits.

Women and Misses who would save forcibly upon a thoroughly stylish suit ought to make selections now. The wanted Styles, materials and colors.

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New goods at reasonable prices at ACKSON'S BOOK SHOP, 986-988 MAIN STREET

OLAND.—In New Haven ney and Miss May Pasak. TRALL — In Torrington, on B. Dunbar and Mrs.

DIED

ts are invited to attend the rom the residence of his fo. 78 Railroad Avenue, on fay 14, at 8:30 a. m., and red Heart church at 9 a. m.

South Norwalk, May 12.—The 42nd annual encampment of the state G. A. M. May 14. at 8:30 a. m., and annual encampment of the state G. A. R. closed heart church at 9 a. m. olemn high mass.

Berment at St. Michael's cemeral george C. Havens, Post 47, New London, was elected commander by a unanimous vote; Richard J. Cutbill, post 48, South Norwalk, senior vice-commander; William H. Dougal, Post 14, New Milford, junior vice-commander; M. W. Robinson, Post 12, Norwalk in this city, on Thursday o'clock a. m. Funeral service will be held in Trinity and Catherine H. Camp, o'f and Catherine

11, 1909, Albert K. Williams, 2 M years, 5 months, 12 days.
Friends are invited to attend the salf from his late residence, No. Artic street, on Thursday even-May 13, at 7:20 o'clock.
Internent at New Milford, Conn. R 11 b o'clock interpent at New Milford, May 10, wine, wife of Edward Leonard.

AND.—At Stamford, May 9, George lits in the 41st year of his age.

ITMAN.—In Danbury, May 10, year of his age.

ITMAN.—In Danbury, May 10, year of George lits. This afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Hickey in Stratford avenue, the ladies of the sewing circle of the Queen's Daughters were entertained. The chief diversion was "bridge" and the gathering passed a most enjoyable afternoon. In addition to other pleasing features there was a delightful informal musicale and a sumptuous repast was served, the hostess being assisted by members of the circle.

The guests included Mrs. J. A. O'Brien, president of the society, Mrs. John McElroy, Mrs. James A. McGuinness, Mrs. George T. McGovern, Mrs. John McElroy, Mrs. James A. McGuinness, Mrs. George T. McCarthy, Mrs. J. H. Whitcomb, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Lyman Hill, Mrs. Samuel Brown, Mrs. Dennis Gaynor, Mrs. Thomas McMullen, Mrs. Thomas Devlin, Mrs. William Seerey, Mrs. Anna McMahon, Miss Molile Gaynor, Miss Rose Dargan, Miss Katie Rock. -In Danbury, May 9, Joshua

-At the Danbury hospital, May THE PARK CEMETERY

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# MERCY FOR WOMEN WHO OFFEND LAW

Mary A. Allen, Defaulting Cashier of Loan Company, Is Released on Probation.

Mrs. Anna Strong, Who Eloped With Chauffeur, is Costs-Mrs. Bernice Bodiker, Who Robbed Boarding House, Goes to Wethersfield.

Mrs. Mary A. Allen, cashier for the Soston Realty & Loan Co., who took \$720 belonging to her employers, was this morning sentenced to one year in Superior Court, civil side, but the senence was remitted and she was placed in the care of the probation officer, Miss Helen King of this city. It is not known what Mrs. Allen did with the funds of the company. It is believed

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harming Afternoon Gathering at Handsome Home of Hostess in Stratford Avenue.

This afternoon at the home of Mrs. Illiam Hickey in Stratford avenue, we ladies of the sewing circle of the sewing circle of the sewing circle of the sewing circle of the sewing the series of some search for stealing a \$18 watch from a Norwalk man.

walk man.

Four months in jail was meted to Peter Schmidt, of this city, for the theft of two chickens.

When Michael Brophy of Danbury awoke one fine morning he found that his pockets had been rifled during the evening, the evidence pointing to George Stokes, who had shared the room. This morning Stokes was given 10 months in jail.

George Brown, who had heretofore enjoyed a good character in and around Bethel, broke into the house of a Bethel farmer. He was given one year and a half in jail.

Frank Lidi of Stamford, who con-

gear and a half in jail.

Frank Lidi of Stamford, who confessed to being a barber, was given 8 months in jail for the theft of goods to the value of \$50.

During the session of the court yesterday afternoon John C. Harvey of Stamford, charged with sending obscene matter through the mails to President Taft, after the indictment was read to him, said he would plead without a lawyer His mental condition will be inquired into.

David Murray, alias Sexton, pleaded guilty to stealing from the home of Mrs. Tibbais. His counsel pleaded that he be sent to State prison instead of to jail. Judge Robinson sentenced him to prison for not less than 18 months and not more than two and one-half years.

LIBERTY DAUGHTERS IN STATE COUNCIL

Ladies' Convened in 16th Annual Council Will Elect | President Names Officers This Afternoon.

Officers This Afternoon.

The 16th annual state council of the Daughters of Liberty convened this morning at O. U. A. M. Hall, 181 State street. State Councillor W. A. Chase of Waterbury presided. The state secretary Miss Nellie McNary of New Britain read her report. It showed the total membership in the state at present to be 2601. The membership has increased 178 during the year.

The reports of the law and appeal committees were read. They presented no new features. J. Burton Harvey and Mrs. Sarah Burns of Waterbury were present and made addresses. Delegates were present from councils in Meriden, Shelton, New Haven, New London, Waterbury, Ansonia, Stamford, Bridgeport, New Britain, Norwich, Hartford, New Canaan, Danbury, Greenwich. Plainville, Southington, Somers, Winsted, South Norwalk, Torrington, Berlin, East Lyme, Milford, Warehouse Point, East Hampton and Middletown.

The election of officers for the ensuring year will take place this afternoon. (Special from United Press.

Washington, May 12.—A big fire is raging in Alexandria, Va., just across the river from Washington. It started in the lumber yard of Smoot & Co. At noon the fire was still burning over three blocks. The loss at that tie was estimated at half a million dollars. HELFRICH.—In New Fairfield, May 8, Katherine Helfrich, aged 79 years. KEANE.—In Danbury, May 8, Mar-garet, wife of Daniel Keane. TOMLINSON.—In White Hills, May 6, Frederick D. Tomlinson, aged 64

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RECORDED TODAY (Special from United Press.)
Washington, May 12.—The observer in charge of the coast and geodetic survey at Cottingham, Md., reports the record of a distant earthquake beginning at 7:04 p. m. yesterday.

STATE FORESTERS . HELD ANNUAL IN DANBURY

Fifteenth Convention Attended by 260 Delegates, Representing Membership of Over 20,000-Reports of Officers.

(Special from United Press.) Danbury, May 12.-The fifteenth convention of the Grand Court of Connecticut Foresters of America, opened Excused on Payment of here with 260 delegates in attendance; Grand Chief Ranger James C. Roach, of Wallingford, presiding. A short address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Williams, which was responded to by Grand Chief Ranger Roach. The following committees were appointed:

Law and Supervision—Eugene D. Fox, Hugh Tole and Edward F. O'Neil; appeals and grievances—J. F. Limerick, J. E. Driscoll and G. W. Lambert; state of the order—Thomas Lawlor, Martin Broderick and William White; mileage and per diem—W. J. Burnes, M. J. Clabby and George B. Maroney; acts and decisions—Andrew J. Welch, B. F. Hoggett and George E. Whatnal; returns and credentials—William DeYoung, Thomas Dowd and James A. Stott; distribution—Thomas McDonald, J. Calandrille and W. P. Killey; press—A. G. Crowell, A. A. Brouder and C. C. Rundie.

The reports of the Grand Chief to by Grand Chief Ranger Roach. The

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Army in In Interpeted to the s the management fund showed a loss of \$227.77 from that of 1907. He accounted for this by the fact that the supreme court has raised the amount of per capita fax on subordinate courts from 11 to 13 cents per capita per year. The present membership of the organization, according to the report, is 20,838, a decrease of 540 since April 1907. The total funds of the subordinate courts for the term ending December 31, 1908, was \$270,179.53, a gain of \$22,732.25 over that of the previous term. Three new courts have been instituted during the last term; one at Cansan, one at Windsor and one at Parkerville.

YOUTHFUL

MISCREANT SENT TO MERIDEN

Arthur Cody, 16 years old, a homeless and friendless boy, wandered into the city a week ago and was taken in by Mrs. Thomas Hickson, colored, of Silliman's Lane. Yesterday Cody was detected in an attempt to assault the three-months-old daughter of Mrs. Emilio Strasses, 16 Silliman's Lane, by William Comaprata, who works at 39 Tulip street. In the City court this morning Cody was sent to the State school at Meriden.

AUTO SPEED FIEND RUNS INTO WOMAN AND ESCAPES

(Special from United Press.)
Bristol, May 12.—A testing automobile running at a high rate of speed through Bristol toward Waterbury struck a carriage occupied by Mrs. E. M. Redner, throwing the woman out and completely wrecking the vehicle. It is not known whether her condition is serious. The police are on the lookout for the car which was numbered 200 M 437.

Ambassadors Today

(Special from United Press.)
Washington, May 12.—The President
ent the following nominations to the Senate to-day:
To be Ambassadors—Oscar Straus of New York, formerly secretary of commerce and labor, to Turkey; William Woodville Rockhill, of the District of Columbia, at present minister at Pe

Columbia, at present minister at Pe-kin. to Russia.

To be consuls general—Chas. Denby, of Indiana, at Vienna, Austria; Wil-ilam A. Rublee of Wisconsin, at Hong Kong, China; Amos P. Wilder, of Wis-consin, at Shanghai China.

To be judge advocate general, with rank of Brigadier General, George B. Davis.

EAST END SIGNAL TOWER OPERATORS HAD CLOSE CALL

The operators in the Central avenue signal tower and the mechanism of the tower operating all of the switches leading into the East End yards, had a miraculous escape this morning at 3:45 o'clock. A loaded freight car, which was a part of an east bound train, became derailed and smashed into the tower, carrying away the entire eastern half of the structure. The derailment was caused by a hot box which caused the breaking of an axia.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances on Main street. Fairfield avenue, and Cannon street.

Wednesday, May 12, 1909.

The Weather-Fair tonight; fair and warmer tomorrow.



Take any fancy trimmed hat. marked not more than \$10 for

Right now, in the very middle of the spring season, we make a millinery offer that is unusual.

Commencing Thursday morning, you may pick any fancy trimmed hat marked at any price from \$5 to \$10 for \$4.75.

Absolutely no fancy trimmed hat is excepted. The entire handsome collection is at your command.

Hats trimmed with flowers and with feathers. Hats in all the colors which are so fashionable as well as so handsome. Hats in all the liked shapes. Hats from New York specialists. Hats from our own workroom.

There is a hat in this collection for every woman interested enough to read this and to come and make choice.

Second floor

That hat is desirable in every way, is stylish, is pretty, and is to be bought for much less than real value.

Choose, but be prompt to choose, at

\$4.75

Curtains at worth-while saving.

A lot or 2 3 or 4-pair lots of curtains at a lot less than usual price.

That is the opportunity open to housekeepers just now.

Curtains of usual low cost. Fine curtains. Several sorts in between.

Of each sort, a large number of lotseach one with much of regular price cut

An economy chance. A good homefurnishing chance. And a chance that brings tasteful desirable good-quality cur-

Two pairs of Cluny curtains for as little as \$2 or \$3 and from that to 3 pairs for \$25. Two pairs of Nottingham curtains for \$1.50 and from that to 4 pairs for \$13. And saving is anywhere from 50 cents

Third floor.

### Arnold fancy cottons,--12 1-2c to 19e.

Eager women who are good judges of fancy cottons are snapping up those trial pieces of Arnold cottons.

Good reason for it, and they show their good judgment.

Such cottons are worth anywhere from 15c to 50c a yard. They do not sell for that simply because they are trial pieces: were made while mill folks were determining exact cost of making.

In white and in colors; in pretty combinations of white with colors; in plain cotton and in silk woven with cotton.

They will make up lovely summer dresses. Already the scissors have slashed into many of them. If you would share, be quick !

Semi-ready dresses at a price.

With quite a bit of usual price missing, a lot of semi-ready dresses for summer go on sale Thursday morning.

White lawn and batiste. Finished with attractive eyelet embroidery or with handsome decoration of Valenciennes lace.

Skirts all cut and ready to be hung and finished. Waists so embroidered that cutting with decoration in front is a simple matter.

Your eyes will tell instantly their real worth. Price is

\$5.50

Near elevators, main floor.

#### THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

Defore the restoration of the old salaries of officials and other salaried men in the employment of the New Haven road. Over a year ago these salaries were cut.

Of course the trolleymen were not included in this cut, and it is taken as somewhat doubtful that they will be given an increase until the salaries of the men who were cut are restored in whole or in part. TROLLEYMEN CONFER ABOUT

Connecticut Company NEW PASTOR Averse to Raising Wages While Cut In Pay of Salaried Men Remains in Force.

Representatives of the various divisions of trolleymen in this state and Portchester, N. Y., met in an eight hour conference yesterday in New Haven with General Manager John K. Punderford and the various superin-Punderford and the various superintendents in the employ of the Connecticut company, this being the first conference of the kind called for a year and a half. C. W. Minnix of the general conference board, presented to the general manager a number of matters affecting employes of the company in many parts of the state and it is understood that that one of the questions to be taken to the road's officials is that of a general increase in wages through the state and in Portchester.

In connection with the proposition

before the restoration of the old sal

INSTALLED

(Special from United Press.)

New Haven, May 12.—Rev. Frederick Merwin Burgess was installed as rector of Christ church this morning

with impressive ceremonies in the presence of a church full of parishioners and friends. He succeeds the Rev. Brinley C. Morgan who was killed by an automobile last fall.

FRESH YALE

(Special from United Press.)

(Special from United Press.)
New Haven, May 12.—Henry C. Marcy of 110 Wall street, and Allan C.
Plerce of the same address, Yale Sheff freshmen and self-confessed culprits in kicking over one of Director Foley's "Keep on the Walk" signs recently posted on the central green, were each fined \$5 and costs for the offense by Judge Tyner in the city court today.

## **YOUNG BISHOP NEAR DEATH IN** STORMY SEA

Was on His Way to New Haven With Classmates When Dory Capsized.

(Special from United Press.) New Haven, May 12.-W. D. Bishop, grandson of the late W. D. Bishop of Bridgeport; Chanler Cornish and Everett O. Waters, three academic soomores at Yale while trying to sail a small dory from Bridgeport to the MEN FINED Corinthian Yacht Club at Morris Cove were overtaken by a fierce gale in the Sound last night at 7 o'clock, and capsound tast night at 7 o'clock, and cap-sizing, were obliged to swin several hundred feet to the short to save their lives. Men in the Sperry Light House rescued the students and took them back to the lighthouse where they spent the night. This morning they were taken in a boat to New Haven. Bishop, who is from Bridgeport, is in bed suffering from a severe cold. The other two are also resting after their dangerous experience.

—An inventory of the estate of the late John Scanlon of this city returned to the Probate court this morning shows \$3,500 in real estate and \$173.95 in personal property.

dangerous experience.